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**JOINT MEETING OF THE CHEMICALS COMMITTEE AND THE WORKING PARTY
ON CHEMICALS**

Task Force on Harmonisation of Classification and Labelling

**ad hoc Expert Group on Classification Criteria for Mixtures of the Task Force
on Harmonization of Classification and Labelling**

Draft Agenda

**2nd Meeting of the ad hoc Expert Group on Target Organ Toxicity of the Task Force on
Harmonisation of Classification and Labelling,
9th-10th September 1999, Bethesda, Maryland, beginning at 9:30 am on 9th September**

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Thursday, 9th September 1999:

- 9:30 Opening of the Meeting, introduction of new experts (if any);
Objectives of the meeting;
Structure of the meeting/approval of the draft Agenda.

Discussion of the issues as identified by the 1st Meeting of *the ad hoc* Expert Group and described in the Issue Documents and of preferred approaches

- Reversible versus Irreversible effects
(Issue Document No.4)
- Severe, Prolonged or Chronic effects of acute (single) exposure
(Issue Document No.1)
- General or organ specific criteria
(Issue Document No.3)
- Cut-off values versus expert judgement
(Issue Document No.2)

- 17:00 Meeting adjourns for the day

Friday, 10th September:

- 9:00 Meeting reconvenes

Continuation of the discussion of the various issues and approaches;

Working towards consensus on the scope and concept of a revised Step 2 proposal, taking into account the earlier proposed Step 2 documents;

Discussion and agreement on the framework and outline of the revised Step 2 proposal;

Confirmation of the time table for the work;

Establishing a Writing Party or proposing (an) expert(s) to draft the proposal.

- 16:00 Meeting adjourns